

MECE/VED

104001 / 98-11 (CIP+) VED

DEC 0 9 2003

TECH CENTER 1600/2900 Attorney's Docket No.: 10555-004001 / 9

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Steven D. Lacy et al.

Art Unit : 1631

Serial No.: 09/420,334

Examiner: Ardin Marschel, Ph.D.

Filed

October 18, 1999

Title

: GRAPHIC DESIGN OF COMBINATORIAL MATERIAL LIBRARIES

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION OF JUNE 30, 2003

In response to the action mailed June 30, 2003, please amend this application as follows:

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL

I hereby certify under 37 CFR §1.8(a) that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail with sufficient postage on the date indicated below and is addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

December 1, 2003 Date of Deposit

Loni M. Cummings

Typed or Printed Name of Person Signing Certificate